

形式化方法导引

第 5 章 模型检测

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问: How to compute S_ϕ ?

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- ② CTL Related: $S_{\text{EX}\phi}, S_{\text{EG}\phi}, S_{\text{E}[\phi\text{U}\psi]}$

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Compute $S_{EX\phi}$

A state s satisfies $EX \phi$, if there *exists* a path starting in s such that ϕ holds in the *next* state of that path. So:

$$S_{EX\phi} = \{s \in S \mid \exists t \in \underline{S_\phi} : s \rightarrow t\}$$

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EG and EU are harder: they deal with properties of paths *beyond a fixed finite part of the path*

思路: **Fixpoint formulation**

Consider the first n steps for *increasing* n , *until* the corresponding set *does not change* anymore.

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defined by

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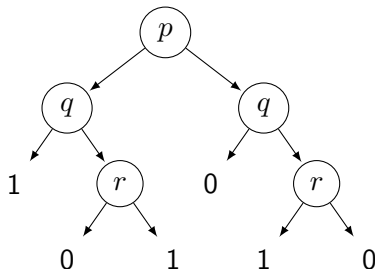
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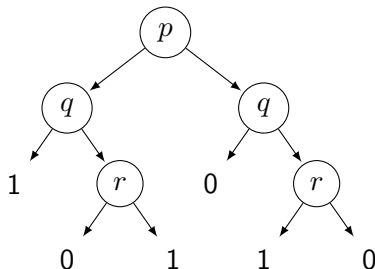
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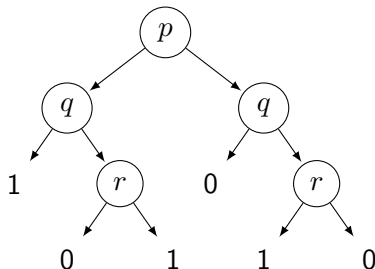
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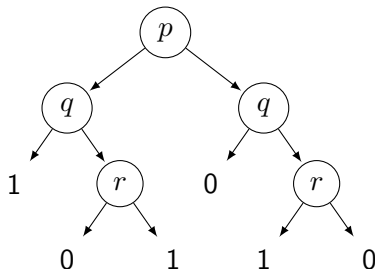
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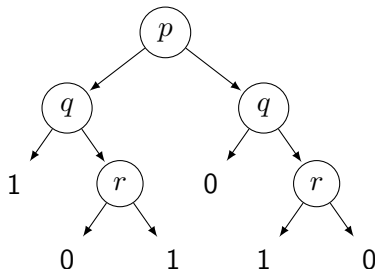
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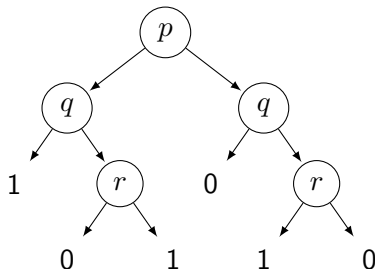
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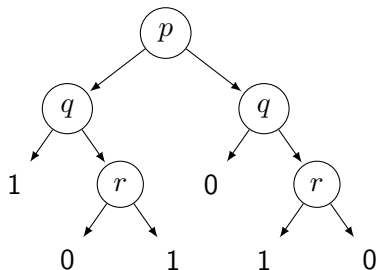


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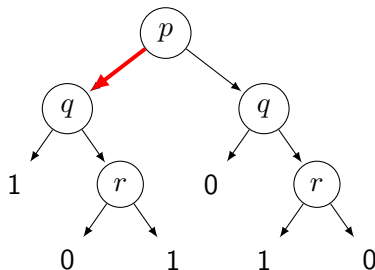


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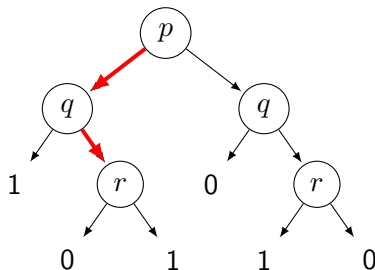
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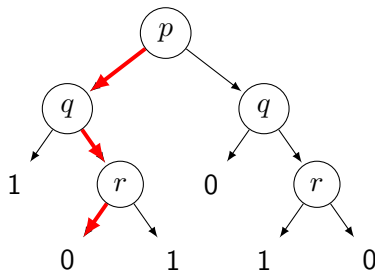
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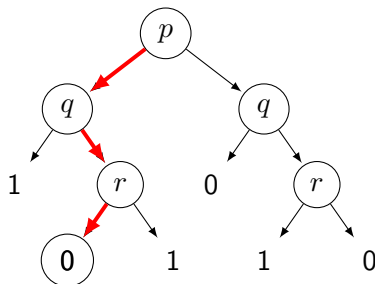
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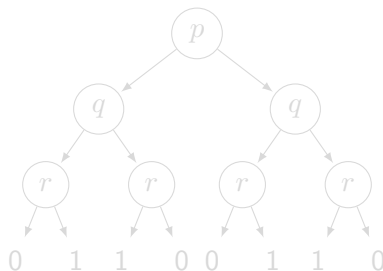


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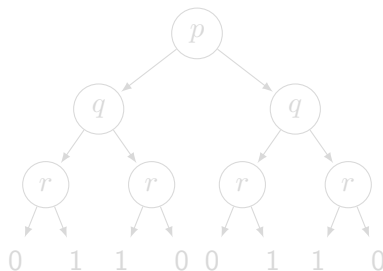


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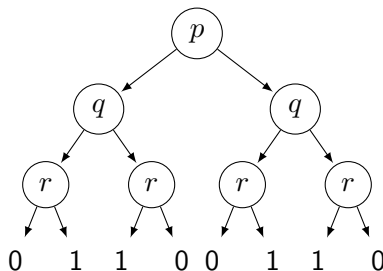


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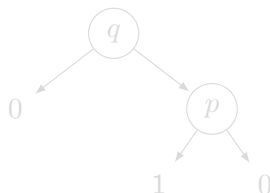
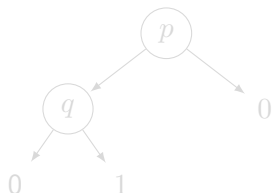


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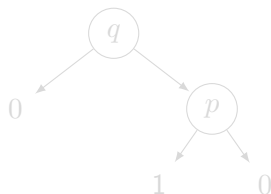
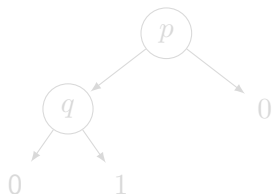
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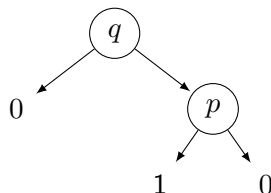
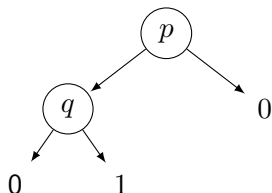
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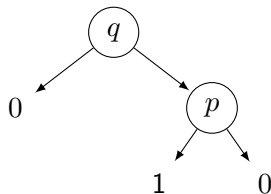
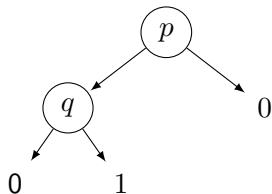
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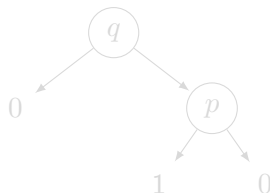
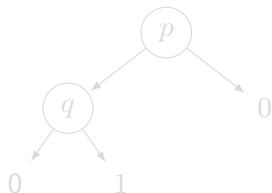
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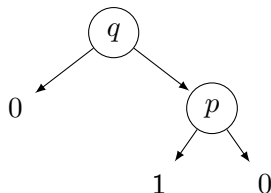
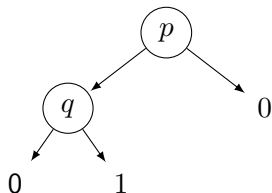
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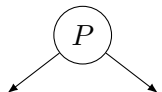
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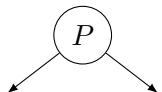
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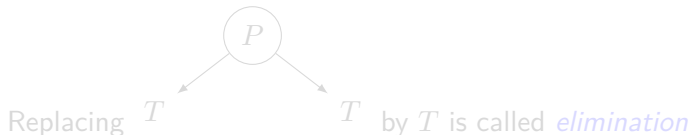
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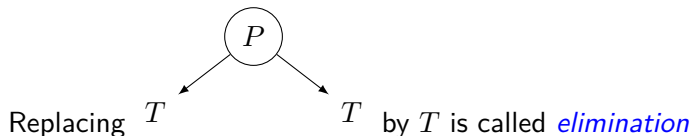


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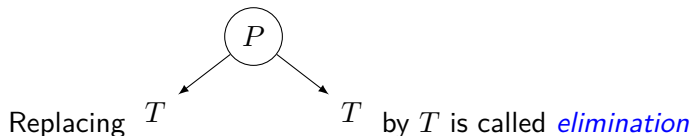


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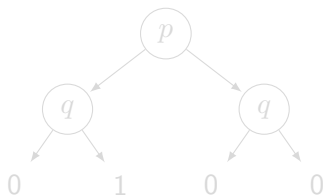
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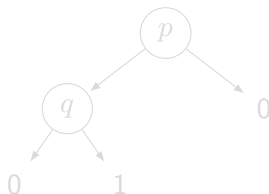
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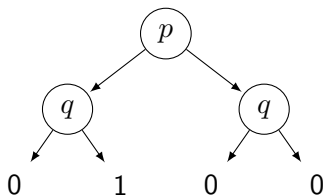


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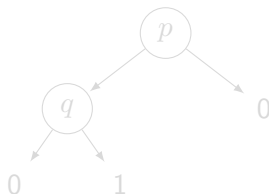
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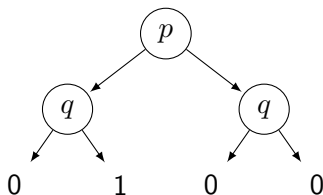


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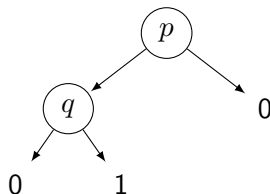
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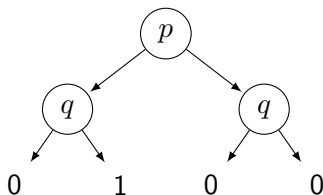


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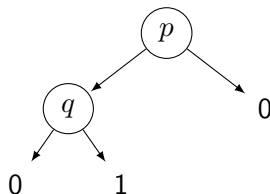
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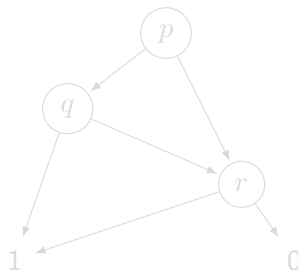
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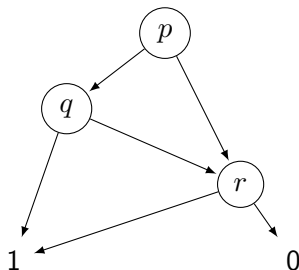
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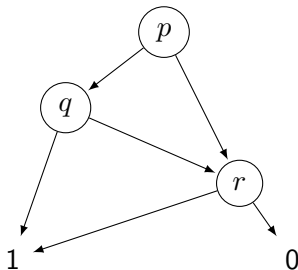
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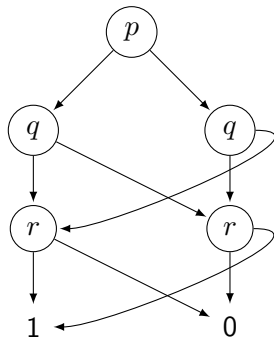
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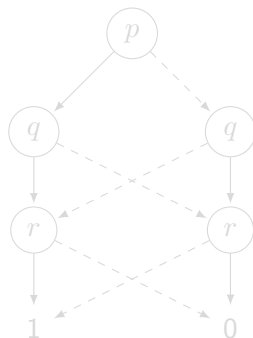
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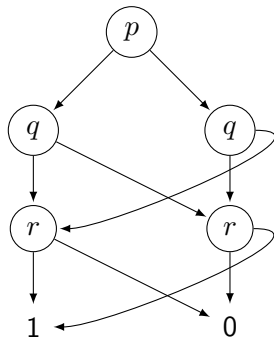
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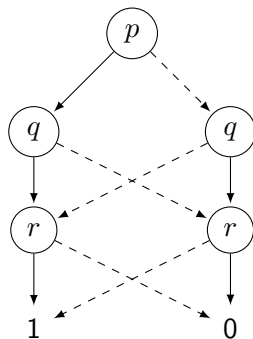
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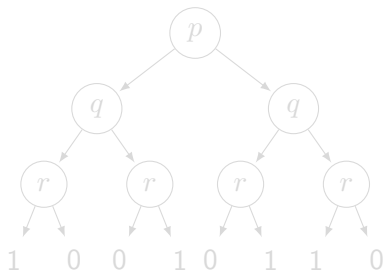
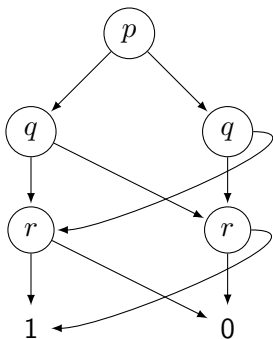
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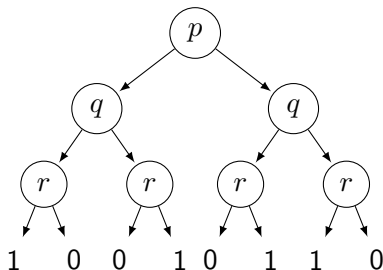
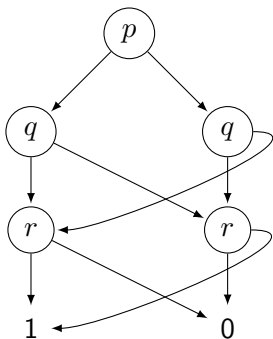


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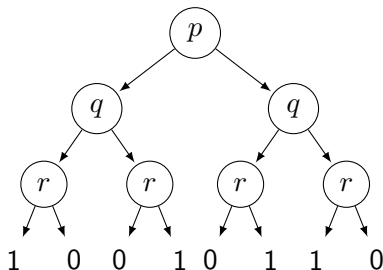
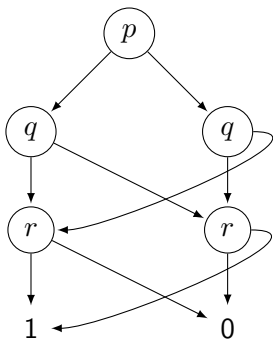


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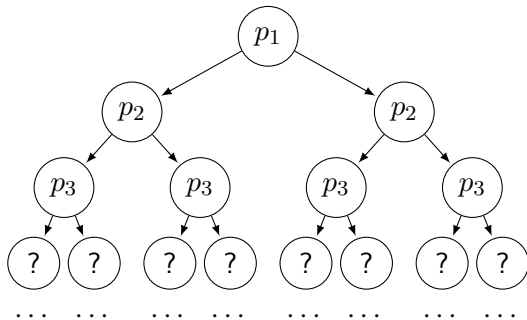
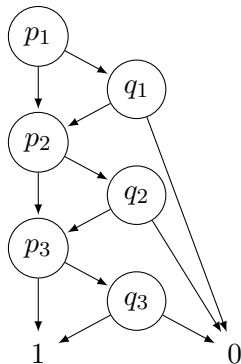
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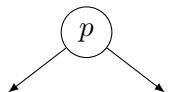
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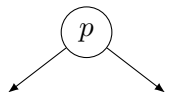
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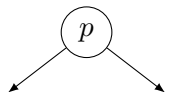
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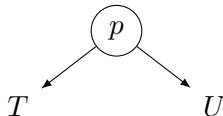
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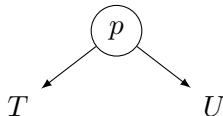
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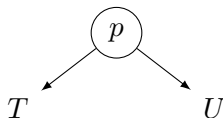
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- 1 p is on top of both T and U [► Details](#)

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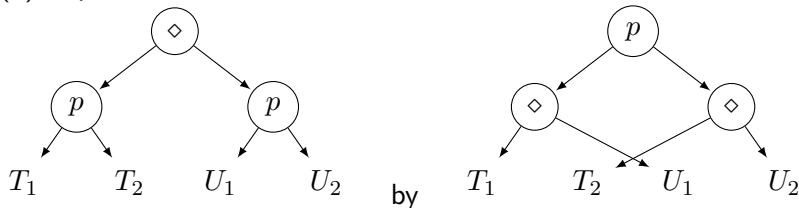
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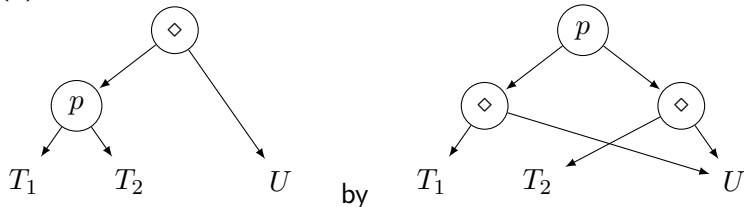
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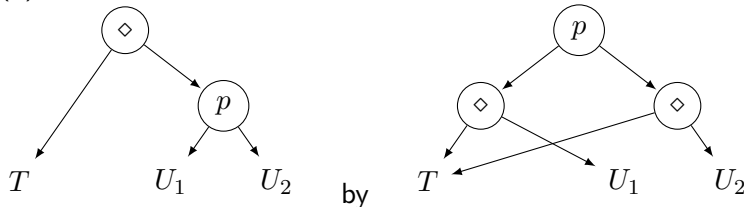
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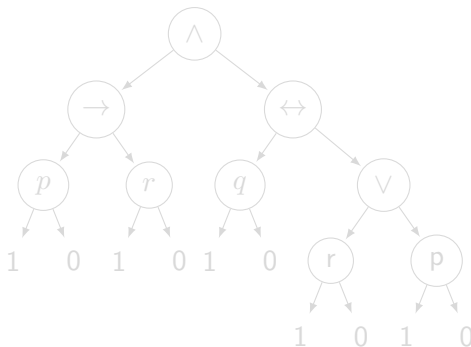
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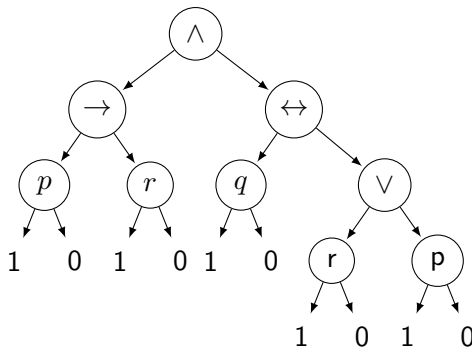
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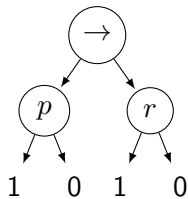
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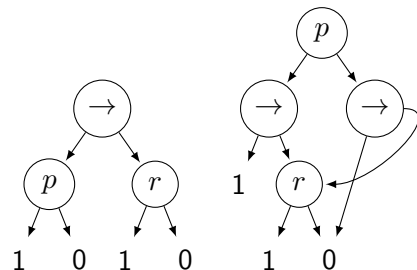
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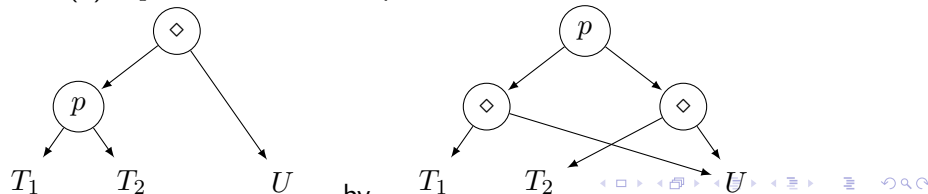
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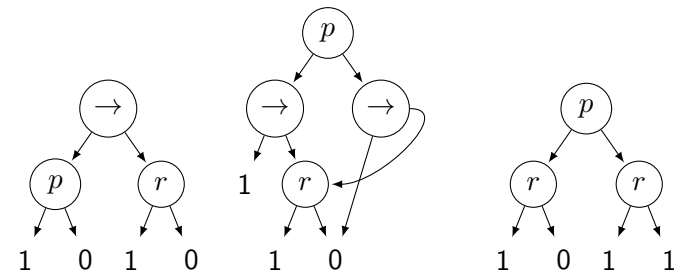
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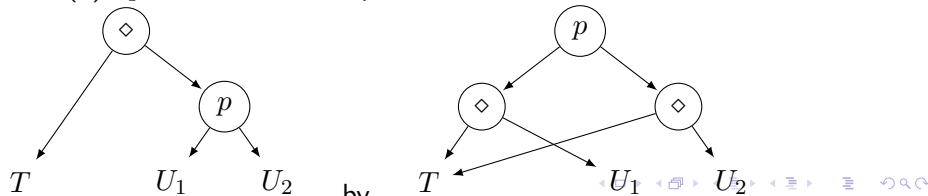
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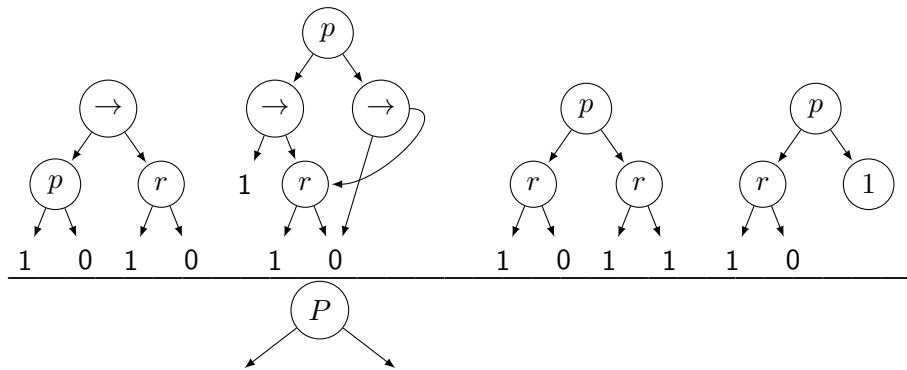
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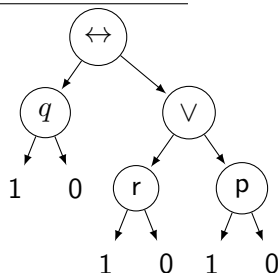


回顾: Replacing T by T is called *elimination*

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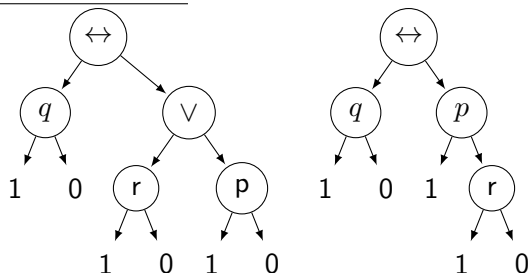
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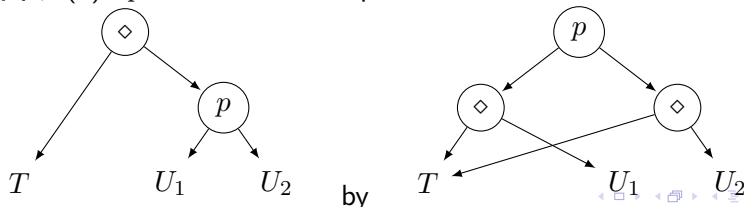
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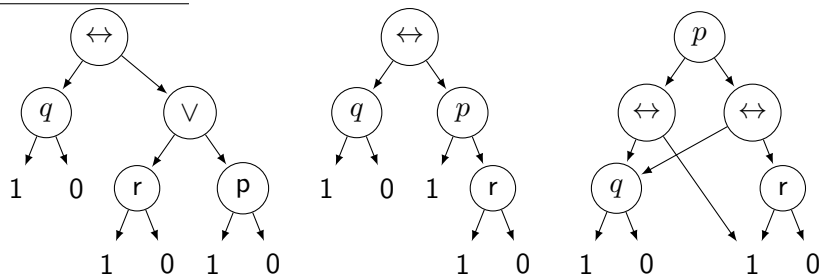
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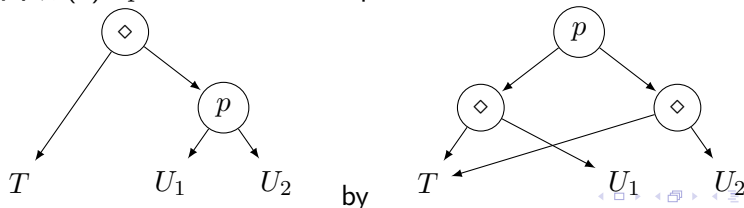
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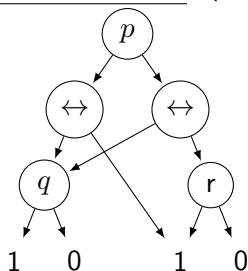
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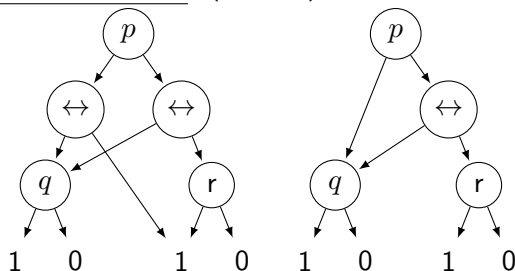
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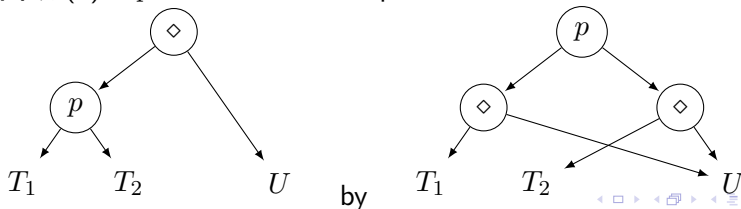
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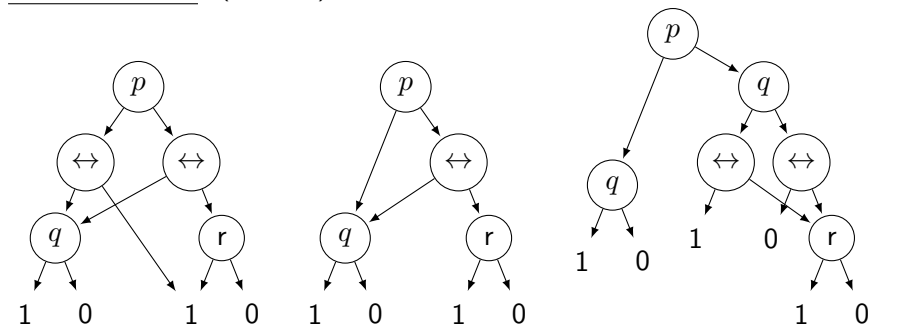
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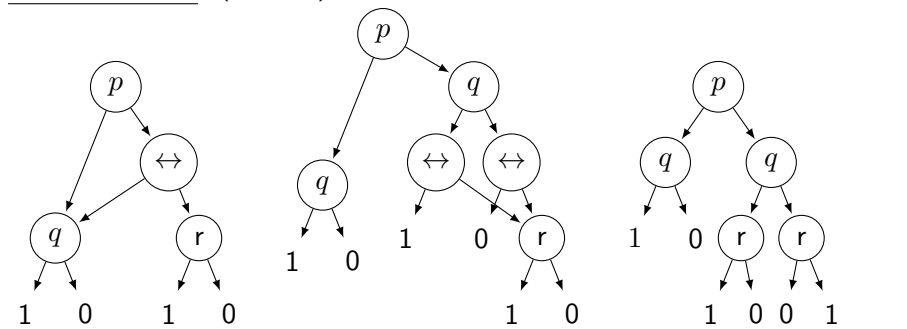
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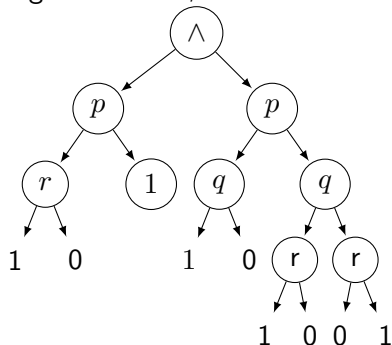
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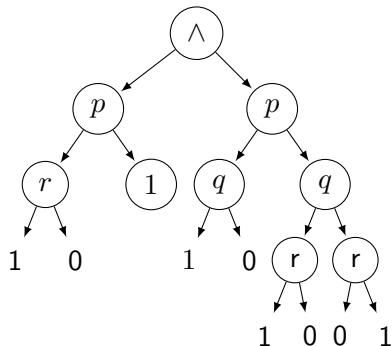
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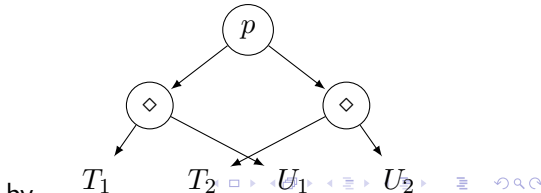
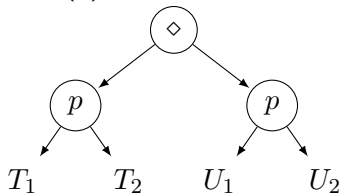


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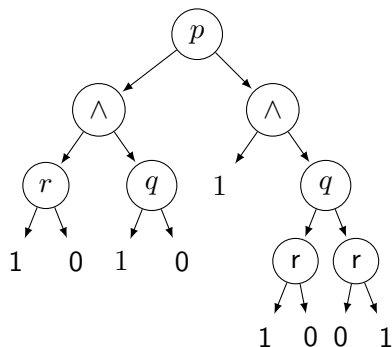
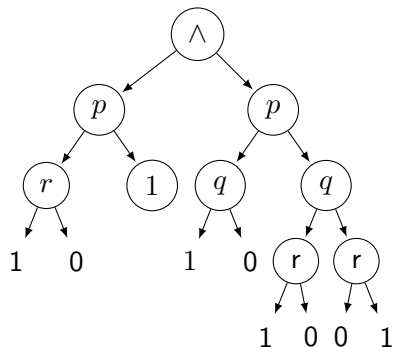


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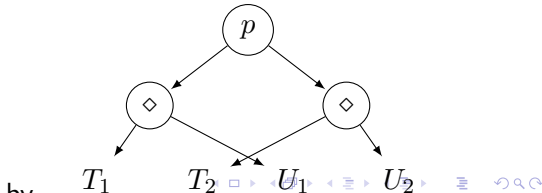
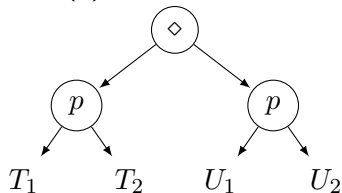


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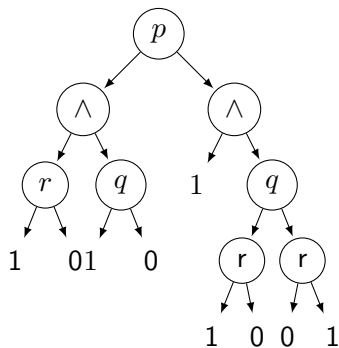


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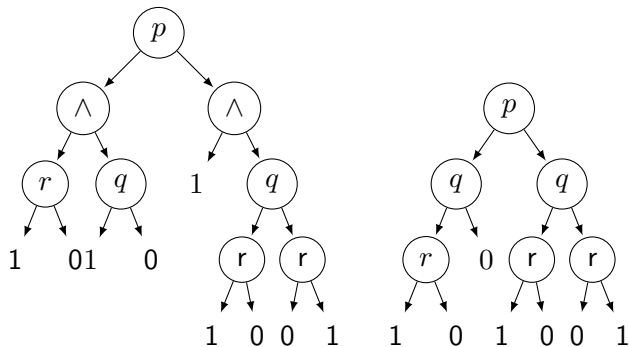
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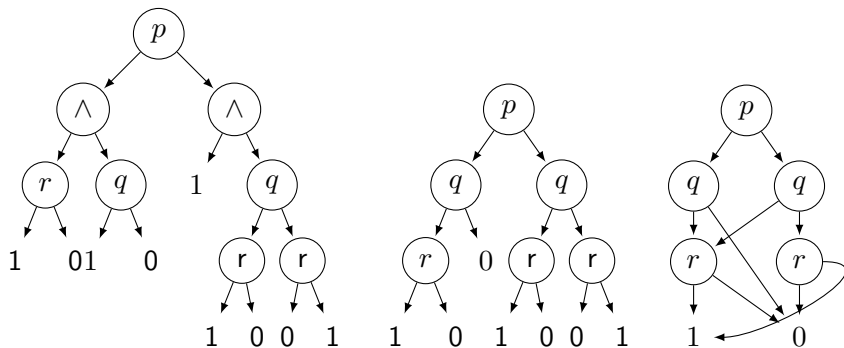
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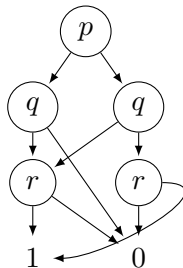
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Outline of a BDD algorithm

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- 2 Stage 2: Boolean functions
- 3 Stage 3: Decision Tree
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- 5 Stage 5: Reduced ordered decision tree (elimination)
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- 8 Stage 8: ROBDD-CTL
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基本思路: **Sets** are described by **boolean functions**: an element is in the set if and only if the boolean function yields true $f_U : B^n \rightarrow B$

$$\underline{s \in U \leftrightarrow f_U(s) = 1}$$

$$\text{ROBDD}(U) \equiv \text{ROBDD}(f_U(s)), \text{ a.k.a., } \text{ROBDD}(S_\phi) \equiv \text{ROBDD}(\phi)$$

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基本思路: **Union** and **intersection** correspond to \vee and \wedge , for which we already gave an algorithm for ROBDD representations

- $S_{\phi \vee \psi} = S_{\phi} \cup S_{\psi}$, $S_{\phi \wedge \psi} = S_{\phi} \cap S_{\psi}$
- $\text{ROBDD}(S_{\phi} \cup S_{\psi}) = \text{ROBDD}(S_{\phi \vee \psi}) \equiv \text{ROBDD}(\phi \vee \psi)$
- $\text{ROBDD}(S_{\phi} \cap S_{\psi}) = \text{ROBDD}(S_{\phi \wedge \psi}) \equiv \text{ROBDD}(\phi \wedge \psi)$

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- $s \equiv (a_1, \dots, a_n)$
- $t \equiv (a'_1, \dots, a'_n)$

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The transition relation \rightarrow is given by a boolean function (P) on $a_1, \dots, a_n, a'_1, \dots, a'_n$, again in ROBDD representation

$$P(a_1, \dots, a_n, a'_1, \dots, a'_n) \Leftrightarrow P_1 \wedge P_2$$

where

- $P_1 = (a_1, \dots, a_n) \rightarrow (a'_1, \dots, a'_n) \quad \sim \quad s \rightarrow t$
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 - ROBDD(P_1) was given by translation relation \rightarrow
- $P_2 = (a'_1, \dots, a'_n) \in U \quad \sim \quad t \in U$

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 - When using the order $a_1 < \dots < a_n < a'_1 < \dots < a'_n$, ROBDD(P_2) is obtained by just replacing every a_i by a'_i in ROBDD(U)

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Observe that for every boolean variable x :

$$\exists x : \phi \equiv \underbrace{\phi[x := \mathbf{T}] \vee \phi[x := \mathbf{F}]}_{\text{computable}}$$

Applying this n times, for $x = a'_1, a'_2, \dots, a'_n$, all ' \exists 's are eliminated, yielding an ROBDD over a_1, \dots, a_n

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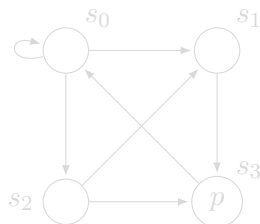
2.2 Binary decisions diagram (BDD) | Stage 8: ROBDD-CTL | Example

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例: ROBDD-CTL 求解

Given a transition system $\mathcal{M} = (S, \rightarrow, L)$, where $S = \{s_0, s_1, s_2, s_3\} \rightarrow = \{(s_0, s_0), (s_0, s_1), (s_0, s_2), (s_1, s_3), (s_2, s_1), (s_2, s_3), (s_3, s_0)\}$, $L(s_3) = \{p\}$.

Verify: $\mathcal{M}, s_0 \models \text{AF } p$



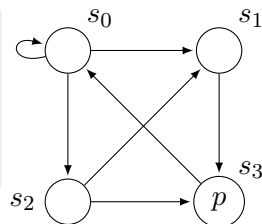
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Stage 8.1: compute ROBDD(AF p)

- 1 AF $p = \neg \text{EG} \neg p$
- 2 $\text{ROBDD}(\text{AF } p) = \text{ROBDD}(\text{EG} \neg p \rightarrow \mathbf{F})$
 $= \text{apply}(\text{ROBDD}(\text{EG} \neg p), \text{ROBDD}(\mathbf{F}), \rightarrow)$
- 3 compute $\text{ROBDD}(\text{EG} \neg p)$ in *Stage 8.2*

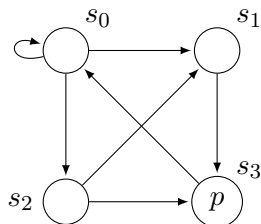
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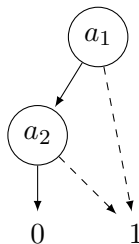
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Stage 8.2: Compute $\text{ROBDD}(\text{EG}\neg p)$ ▶ $S_{\text{EG}\phi} = t_n$

- 1 Define a state as a pair of variables (a_1, a_2) , where $a_1, a_2 \in \{0, 1\}$
 - i.e., $s_0 = (0, 0)$, $s_1 = (0, 1)$, $s_2 = (1, 0)$, $s_3 = (1, 1)$
- 2 $S_\phi = S_{\neg p} = \{s_0, s_1, s_2\} = \{(0, 0), (0, 1), (1, 0)\}$
- 3 $t_0 = \text{ROBDD}(S_\phi)$



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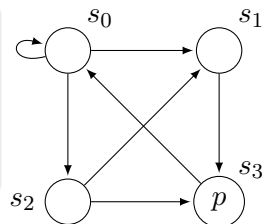
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④ Iteratively compute t_{n+1} , where

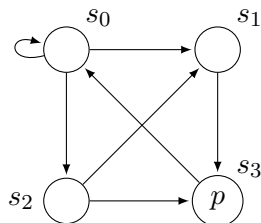
- $t_{n+1} := \text{apply}(t_n, \text{ROBDD}(V), \wedge)$
- $V = \{s \in T \mid \exists t \in U : s \rightarrow t\}$ ($\text{ROBDD}(V)$ computed in [Stage 8.2](#))
 - $T = S_\phi = S_{\neg p} = \{s_0, s_1, s_2\} = \{(0, 0), (0, 1), (1, 0)\}$
 - $\text{ROBDD}(U) = t_n$

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Stage 8.3: compute $\text{ROBDD}(V)$, where

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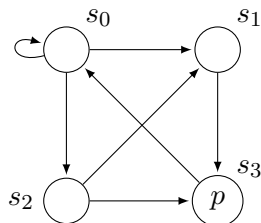
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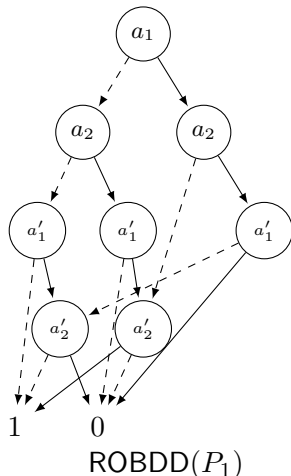
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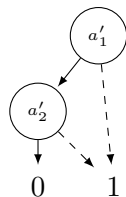
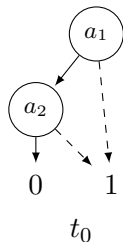
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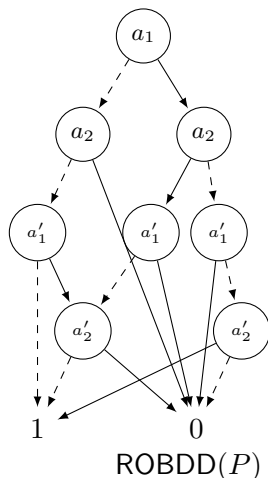
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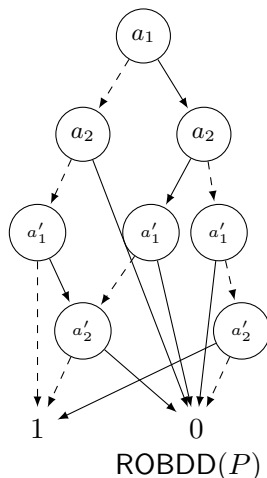
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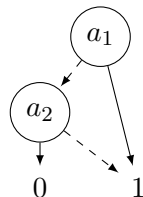
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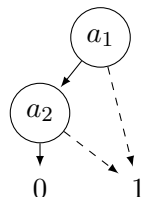
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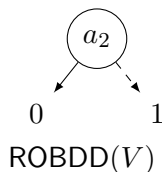
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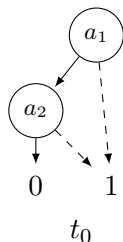
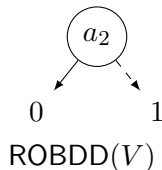
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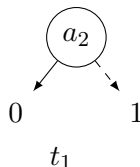
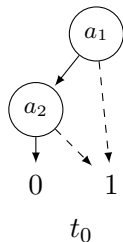
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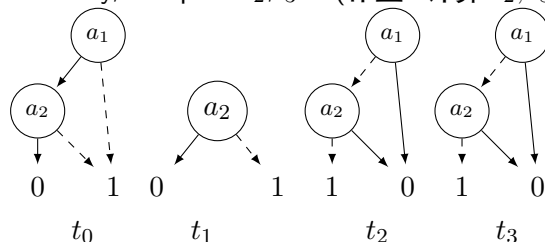
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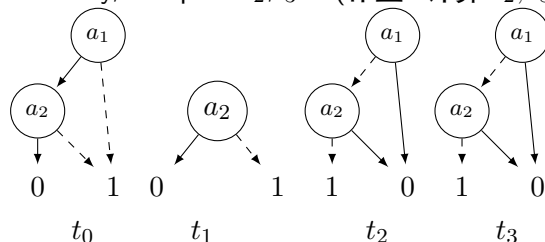
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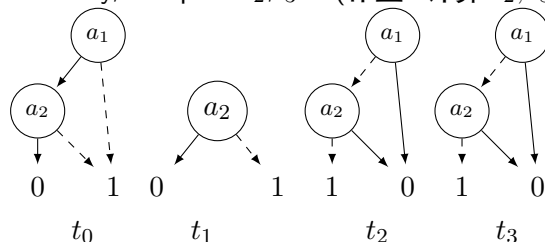
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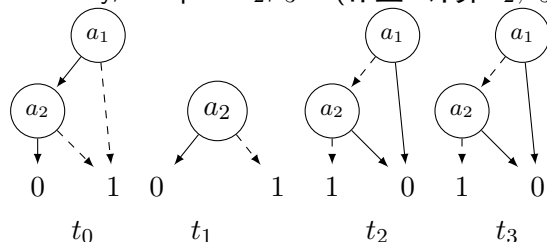
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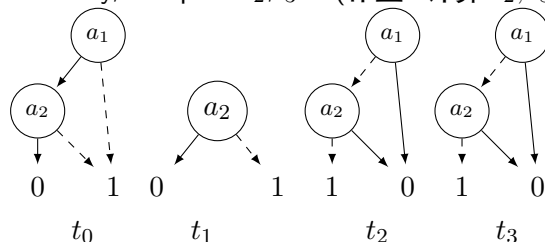
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Stage 8 小结:

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- In contrast to *explicit state based model checking*, it can deal with very large state spaces.

作业: 模仿 t_1 的求解过程, 手工运算 t_2, t_3 , 给出运算过程.

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